REMARKS

The Office Action mailed August 11, 2006 has been reviewed and carefully considered. The Examiner's reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the above amendments and the following remarks.

Claims 1-9 are pending in the application. Claims 1-5, 8-14 and 16-19 were rejected. Claims 6, 7 and 15 were indicated as allowable if rewritten in independent form Claim 1 has been amended to incorporate the subject matter of Claims 5 and 6.

Claim 11 has been amended to incorporate the subject matter of Claims 14 and 15.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. Consequently, the Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections and allowance of the application. Such early and favorable action is earnestly solicited.

No fees are believed to be due at this time. The office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this amendment and

to credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 07-0832.

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Respectfully submitted,

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